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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67964

Masamoto TAGO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/043,225

Group Art Unit: 2811

Confirmation No.: 4956

Examiner: Nitin PAREKH

Filed: January 14, 2002

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, MANUFACTURING METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR THE SAME

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A petition for a two-month extension of time is being concurrently filed, making a response due on or before December 8, 2003.

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